

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Confirmation No. 2271

Tetsuji TOGAWA et al.

Docket No. 2001-1103

Serial No. 09/922,776

In re application of

Group Art Unit 3723

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a two month extension of time to respond to the communication of September 10, 2003.

The fee of \$420.00 is

- (X) submitted herewith.
- () to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
- () Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
  - () is enclosed.
  - () has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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## PATENT OFFICE FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM

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Sir:

Attached hereto is a check in the amount of \$420.00 to cover Patent Office fees relating to filing the following attached papers:

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A duplicate copy of this paper is being submitted for use in the Accounting Division, Office of Finance.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or to credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0975, with the EXCEPTION of deficiencies in fees for multiple dependent claims in new applications.

Respectfully submitted,

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